

rank of Ambassador, which was sent to the Senate on September 24, 2009.

Jide J. Zeitlin, of New York, to be Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Sessions of the General Assembly of the United Nations during his tenure of service as Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations for U.N. Management and Reform, which was sent to the Senate on September 24, 2009.

Roszell Hunter, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Export-Import Bank of the United States for a term expiring January 20, 2013, which was sent to the Senate on October 1, 2009.

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**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 9:30 a.m. and adjourned at 7:11 p.m., until 9:30 a.m. on Friday, January 22, 2010. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S133.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### JOB CREATION

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies concluded a hearing to examine how to save and create jobs, after receiving testimony from Iowa Governor Chet Culver, Des Moines; Lawrence Mishel, Economic Policy Institute, Washington, DC; Jerry D. Weast, Montgomery County Public Schools, Rockville, Maryland; and Marlena Sessions, Workforce Development Council of Seattle-King County, Seattle, Washington.

### INDEPENDENT REVIEW RELATING TO FORT HOOD

*Committee on Armed Services:* Committee concluded open and closed hearings to examine findings and recommendations of the Department of Defense Independent Review Relating to Fort Hood, after receiving testimony from Togo D. West, Jr., and Admiral Vernon E. Clark, USN (Ret.), both Co-Chair, Department of Defense Independent Review Relating to Fort Hood.

### NOMINATIONS

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nominations of Kevin Wolf, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary for Export Administration, who was introduced by Senator Lincoln, Suresh Kumar, of New Jersey, to be Assistant Secretary and Director General of the United States and Foreign Commercial Service, who was introduced by Senator Menendez, and David W. Mills, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary for Export Enforcement, all of the Department of Commerce, Douglas A. Criscitello, of Virginia, to be Chief Financial Officer, Department of Housing and Urban Development, Theodore W. Tozer, of Ohio, to be President, Government National Mortgage Association, who was introduced by Senator Brown, and Orlan Johnson, of Maryland, and Sharon Y. Bowen, of New York, both to be a Director of the Securities Investor Protection Corporation, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

### CLIMATE CHANGE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine the research and development priorities and imperatives needed to meet the medium- and long-term challenges associated with climate change, after receiving testimony from Steven Chu, Secretary of Energy.

### U.S. ENGAGEMENT IN ASIA

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Subcommittee on East Asian and Pacific Affairs concluded a hearing to examine principles of United States engagement in Asia, after receiving testimony from Kurt M. Campbell, Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs; and Robert Sutter, Georgetown University School of Foreign Service, and Robert Herman, Freedom House, both of Washington, DC.

### AFGHANISTAN

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine civilian strategy for Afghanistan, focusing on a status report in advance of the London conference, after receiving testimony from